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[x] THIS IS THE 35 U.S.C 371 NATIONAL STAGE OF PCT/DE01/01331 FILED
April 3, 2001
Sir: Transmitted herewith for filing is the [X] Utility [] Design nonprovisional patent application of:
Inventor / Application Identifier: Volker MOEBIUS, et al.
[X] See Inventor Information Sheet attached
For: METHOD FOR CONTROLLING MECHANISMS AND TECHNICAL SYSTEMS, A CORRESPONDING DEVICE AND CONTROL SOFTWARE
 [] This is a new patent application. [X] This is the 35 U.S.C. 371 National Stage Application of the above-identified PCT Application. [] This is a provisional patent application. [] This is a: [] Continuation Application [] Divisional Application [] Continuation-in-Part Application of prior Application Serial No
[] Cancel in this application original claims of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
[] Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This is a [] Continuation, [] Division, [] Continuation-in-part, of Application

[] Incorporation By Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.

ENCLOSED ARE THE FOLLOWING:						
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Х	33	Pages of specification including abstract and claims.				
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	Applicant hereby claims the benefit of the filing date of the following provisional application(s) under the provision of 35 USC 119.				
х	Applicant hereby claims the benefit under the provisions of 35 USC 119 of the filing dates of the following applications as indicated below:				
	Germany Patent Appln. No. 100 17 708.5, filed April 4, 2000, Priority Claimed				
	of which certified copies thereof				
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